# Mountain Weather Forecast

## Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Sunday 01 May 2022 until 23:59 on Monday 02 May 2022

Forecast Issued on Sunday 01 May 2022 at 03:11

**Confidence:** High general theme for rain and cloud to arrive overnight into Sunday. Some uncertainty related to the details and amounts of rain expected Sunday.

**Headline for Sunday 01 May 2022:** Cloudy with outbreaks of rain spreading south.

**Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 01 May 2022**

**Blizzards**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent snow**
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**
No Likelihood

**Gales**
No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**
Low Likelihood

**Poor visibility**
High Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**
Medium Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**
No Likelihood

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m** | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | |
| 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | |
| Heavy Rain | Light rain | Light rain | Light rain | Cloudy | Cloudy |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | |
| 90% | 90% | 70% | 60% | 20% | 20% |

**Forecast for Sunday 01 May 2022**

**Weather:** Rather wet on Sunday morning with extensive low cloud and mist. Further periods of rain and drizzle should continue into the early afternoon before the rain becomes more fragmented later. Staying cloudy with extensive mist and fog over the hills well into the evening, although drier conditions developing after dark.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 10% or less

**Low Cloud and visibility:** Persistent cloud above 400-500m for most of the day with periods above 200-300m at times. This will give widely very poor visibility on most hills and mountains with visibilities in the valleys also poor at times during periods of rain and drizzle.

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**Forecast for Sunday 01 May 2022**

| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **900** | 21/25 SW | 19/23 SW | 18/23 SW | 16/21 S | 10/16 S | 7/11 S | 6/8 SE |
| **600** | 15/19 S | 14/18 SW | 14/20 SW | 15/21 S | 12/18 S | 7/12 S | 3/5 SE |
| **300** | 10/17 S | 10/16 SW | 11/19 S | 11/19 S | 9/16 S | 4/9 S | 2/5 SE |
| **Valley** | 10/17 S | 10/16 SW | 10/17 SW | 11/18 S | 9/15 S | 4/9 S | 2/5 SE |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **900** | 5/-1 | 5/0 | 5/1 | 6/1 | 6/2 | 5/2 | 4/2 |
| **600** | 6/2 | 7/3 | 7/4 | 7/4 | 7/4 | 7/5 | 6/5 |
| **300** | 8/5 | 8/6 | 9/6 | 9/6 | 9/6 | 8/7 | 8/8 |
| **Valley** | 9/6 | 10/7 | 10/8 | 10/8 | 10/8 | 10/9 | 9/9 |
| **Freezing Level*** | 1800m | 1800m | 1900m | 1900m | 1900m | 1800m | 1800m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Meteorologist's View**

Low cloud and persistent rain will make navigation challenging. Given the heavy rain water proof clothing will be a necessity, as well as appropriate footwear given the slippery surfaces.

**Forecast for Monday 02 May 2022**

**Weather:** Mostly cloudy with scattered showery outbreaks of light rain and drizzle during the day, sunnier or brighter skies developing during the afternoon as cloud lifts, particularly to the east of Capel Curig and Dolwyddelan.

**Maximum wind:** Southwesterly 20-25 mph.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m:** 20% or less, rising to 60% from mid afternoon

**Low Cloud and visibility:** Extensive cloud with bases widely between 400-500 meters will give poor visibilities near summits. Below cloud bases visibility will be generally good outside of any showers. Visibilities improving from mid-afternoon as cloud breaks and lifts above the level of summits.

**Temperature:** **Valleys:** Plus 5 Celsius rising to plus 11 Celsius.
**At 800m:** Plus 8 Celsius.
**Freezing level:** Above the summits.

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|---|---|
| Thursday | Rather cloudy with some showers, sunny spells developing in places making it feel warm in the sunshine. Mostly light winds. |

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